

CITY OF FAIRFIELD

RESOLUTION NO. 2005 - 247

A RESOLUTION OF THE FAIRFIELD CITY COUNCIL ADOPTING *TAMING NATURAL DISASTERS*, THE MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN, INCLUDING THE CITY OF FAIRFIELD ANNEXES

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various earthquake-related hazards such as ground shaking, liquefaction, land sliding, fault surface rupture, and tsunamis; and

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various weather-related hazards including wildfires, floods, and landslides; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fairfield recognizes that disasters do not recognize city, county, or special district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fairfield seeks to maintain and enhance both a disaster-resistant City of Fairfield and region by reducing the potential loss of life, property damage, and environmental degradation from natural disasters, while accelerating economic recovery from those disasters; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fairfield is committed to increasing the disaster resistance of the infrastructure, health, housing, economy, government services, education, environment, and land use systems in the City of Fairfield, as well as in the Bay Area as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 requires all cities, counties, and special districts to have adopted a Local Hazard Mitigation Plan to receive disaster mitigation funding from FEMA; and

WHEREAS, ABAG has approved and adopted the ABAG report *Taming Natural Disasters* as the multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan for the San Francisco Bay Area;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Fairfield adopts, and adapts with its local annex, this multi-jurisdictional plan as its Local Hazard Mitigation Plan. The City of Fairfield commits to continuing to take those actions and initiating further actions, as appropriate, as identified in the City of Fairfield Annex of that multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 19th day of July, 2005, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS:

~~BATSON~~ / ~~ENGLISH~~ / FARLEY / PRICE / MACMILLAN

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS:

None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS:

Batson, English

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS:

None

Karin MacMillan
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Gaudia Archer, Deputy
CITY CLERK